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I have known Deepak Moorjani since his sophomore year at Duke, and I am writing a letter on his behalf at the present time as I will be overseas next year. I have taught him intermediate microeconomics and macroeconomics. In those courses, he earned an A- and an A respectively. In my opinion, he is an extremely capable economist. He possesses impressive analytical skills as well as a remarkable ability to derive solutions to economic problems. Currently, he is taking "Economic Development in Latin America". His project for this course is to analyze the current Brazilian debt-crisis.

Deepak is well-rounded. In addition to his economics major, he is also majoring in philosophy, specializing in jurisprudence. He is a third-year student of Japanese having spent last summer studying in Japan at one of the best Japanese universities. He has also taken and done well in related classes, such as financial management and advanced math classes, which have given him a sound preparation for a career in finance.

Deepak plans to enter the field of investment banking. With his solid background in economics, he is an ideal candidate for the most intensive financial analyst program. I know that Deepak is very interested in and closely follows the financial markets. He did an internship with Paine Webber last semester where he did telephone solicitation for Section 125 (tax-free medical) benefits and analyzed prospective performance of equities for the broker with whom he worked.

This is a very deep-rooted interest for him, and he has spent time preparing himself for the day when he would be able to enter an investment bank. It is my belief that at this stage of his career, he will be able to contribute at the highest levels.

Sincerely,

Edward Tower
Professor and Director of
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